



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT

Application No.: 09/696,826) Date: December 23, 2002
Applicant: CLARK, William, et al.) Examiner: Thien Tran
Filed: October 25, 2000) Group Art Unit 2811
For: "Implanted Hidden Interconnections...") Our Ref: B-3650
Re: Response to Official Action) (617089-5/RPB)

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT

Sir:

This paper is being filed concurrently with a RCE and responds to the Advisory Action dated November 18, 2002 and the Supplemental Advisory Action dated December 09, 2002. Please add new claims 23-26 as indicated below. **All amendments and remarks herein are made without prejudice.**

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 22 and add claims 23-26 as indicated. A clean copy of new claims 1-8 and 15-26 are presented on the following pages 2-5 of this Amendment. A marked copy of claim 22 as amended is presented in Appendix A.

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